NEW SPAN HEARING GRANTED

WEATHER
San Francisco and Bay Region
Partly Cloudy Friday and Saturday. Moderate Temperature. Gentle Variable Winds.

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HICKMAN NAMES ACCOMPLICE STRANGLER OF PARKER GIRL

The CORE

Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, mother of the famous flyer, Charles Lindbergh, arrived in Mexico City, yesterday afternoon.

The collapse of the trans-Atlantic telephone service is forecast in London on the grounds that the cost is $615,000 per year while the revenue is only $285,000. Two calls a day are the average.

Princess Daria Karageorgevitch, mother of an Austrian baroness was hurled against a tree when her car crashed near Geneva, it was reported last night. She is seriously injured.

France is doomed to failure in her effort to draw the U. S. into a defensive alliance with her alone, it was learned yesterday in a high official quarter.

"Scarface Al" Capone, Chicago gang chief, paid $1500 in fines for himself and several of his henchmen yesterday, on charges of carrying concealed weapons.

Because they were granted only a week for the Xmas holiday instead of two, a group of students of Plant High school, Tampa, Fla., went on a strike yesterday.

The French senate yesterday adopted a program calling for 15 new warships during 1928. A total of 150,000,000 francs will be expended during the year.

Rotary Observes Christmas Today

Christmas will be celebrated with a special program of entertainment today by the Richmond Rotary club in the Hotel Carquinez. Dr. Edward A. Wicher of San Rafael will speak and Dr. U. S. Abbott will be chairman of the day.

The features of the program will be in charge of Aubrey Wilson, Sydney Clark, U. S. Abbott, Clark Kratzer and W. P. Cooper.

HELD FOR MOVING HOUSE

Charged with violating a city ordinance, namely moving a house over the city streets without a a permit Fred McKale Oakland housemover, yesterday pleaded not guilty before Police Judge C. A. Odell and was released on bail pending a jury trial, January 18.

Only 2 MORE DAYS

Do Your XMAS SHOPPING Early

Specific Ruling Is Expected

Influenced by pleas from the Contra Costa board of supervisors, toll bridge companies, dock and ferry companies, and the several groups of prominent attorneys Northern California Development Association, the state supreme court yesterday ganted a rehearing of the petition of the latter corporation for a toll bridge across the Carquinez straits near the bridge recently completed by the American Toll Bridge company.

RESULT OF COURT DECISION

The applications for a rehearing were the direct outgrowth of the decision of the court in denying the development company's previous mandamus plea. In this decision the court held that its articles of incorporation did not show it was organized for the express purpose of building a toll bridge at a particular location.

SPECIFIC RULING NEEDED

With three applicants for the building of a bridge from Richmond to the Marine shore, the articles of some of which do not clearly indicate their formation for the express purpose of the building of a bridge a storm of protest arose from many public service corporations, which contended that the legal status of all would be in jeopardy unless an interpretation of the ruling in more specific terms could be obtained.

COUNTY ASKS REHEARING

With this in view, the Contra Costa county Supervisors immediately petitioned for a rehearing after they were informed by District Attorney A. B. Tinning that under the court's ruling they could grant no bridge franchise which would be absolutely legal.

The law firms of Pillsbury, Madison & Sutro; Dudley D. Sales, J. E. Rodgers & A. F. Bray, and McCutcheon. Only, Mannon & Greene and Eells & Orrick all joined opinions with the Supervisors, with the result that the Supreme Court yesterday granted a third reconsideration of the petition.

George Shaw Leader For Elks' Troop

George Shaw has been appointed scoutmaster of Troop No. 9, Boy Scouts of America, sponsored by the Richmond lodge of Elks, which will meet Friday night in the local clubrooms. Last night he requested all sons of Elks to join the troop so that the membership will be as great as other troops in the city.

VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. Ivy Bock and her two children, Minta and Albert, of 217 South Twenty-second street, will leave the city tomorrow morning to visit over the holidays with Mrs. Brock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Brown. Albert plans to stay with his grandparents until school reopens.

LEAVES FOR S. F.

Mrs. Rose Havely, 727 Bissell avenue, and who has been head floor lady at Albert's department store for ten years, left for Bellflower, near Los Angeles and will make her home there.

Guide Proves Aid For Xmas Shopping; Only One Day More!

Haven't done your Christmas shopping yet?

Don't let the nearness to the fatal morning, alarm you. Don't clutch a light standard, bite a piece from a mahogany table, or kick the cuspidor vigorously through the window. There's still time to give presents to your friends which they can exchange December 26!

GUIDE AIDS SHOPPERS

A rationally known authority who refuses to permit his name to be divulged at this time has prepared a handy list for the use of Christmas shoppers. He guarantees that every one will be perfectly satisfied if the hints for buying are followed.

A few excerpts from his volume of unabridged dictionary size follow.

FOR THE MAN

"You are a man, you want to buy a present for the wife. All right, go down town, just as though you were going to buy something for yourself. Saunter along the street. Look over the lingerie displays—don't feel guilty. You have a right to look at anything near Christmas. Don't buy lingerie. Buy a box of cigars. There's nothing like educating you wife to real emancipation. Of course if she won't learn—that's her loss.

FOR THE WOMAN

"You are a woman and you feel you must buy your old man something to appease him for the rotten dinners served during the last twelve months. Saunter along the street as per above. Then buy a dozen neckties, a dress shirt, a sport sweater, socks or almost any other masculine ar-

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Rev. Haney Thanks The Record-Herald

December 21,1927

Editorial Staff,
Record-Herald,
Richmond, Calif.
Dear Friends:

Mrs. Haney joins me in wishing you a very Happy Christmas.

And please accept our thanks for your kindness to us in keeping our activities before the public. With very good wishes to you all, I am

Cordially yours,
EARL W. HANEY
Pastor, First Presbyterian Church

Violator Of Rum Law Fined $400

Manuel Perez of Oakland who pleaded guilty to a charge of possession of liquor when he appeared before Police Judge C. A. Odell Wednesday afternoon was yesterday fined $400. As he has been unable to raise the amount of the fine, he is in the city jail. Perez claimed that he was taking wine for the Christmas holidays to a brother in Martinez at the time he was arrested by Officer Smith W. Ligon.

BUILDS ADDITION

City Building Inspector A. J. Hurley yesterday issued a permit to E. J. Barnhard to build a two-story addition to a cottage on the east side of Ninth between Roosevelt and Barrett avenues at a cost of $400.

KEY REHEARING GRANTED, RATE PROBE PLANNED

With "no comment" the state railroad commission yesterday granted the Key System Transit company's petition for a rehearing into a raise in street car and trans-bay fare.

The rehearing has been set for January 24, in the Oakland city hall before Commissioner Clyde Seavey.

COMMISSION PLANS PROBE

In the mantime the commission has begun an investigation "into the rates practices and service of this company so that the most complete and reliable records possible may be made upon which the commission may base an order."

In asking a re-hearing the Key System decared that the "zone" system proposed by the commission would decrease gross and net revenues of the transit concern by not less than $1,079,151 with an operating deficit of at least $693,531.

CLAIM NEAR INSOLVENCY

The petition for a rehearing claimed that the Key System is faced with the prospect of bankruptcy and receivership, and that the only remedy would be permission from the commission for the company to charge "reasonable" rates.

By granting the rehearing the commission automatically postpones inauguration of the "zone

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Legion Adjutant Feted On Visit

James K. Fisk, department adjutant of California, was the honored guest of the Richmond post of the American Legion last night in Memorial hall. He delivered a lengthy report of the recent international convention of the Legion in Paris and an account of the trip made by the Legionaires to Belgium, Germany, Italy, Switzerland and England in all of which countries they were highly greeted.

T. A. Brady past commander of the local post, was presented with a past commander's pin. At the close of the meeting, a banquet was served by a committee composed of George Reifschneider, C. A. Mussa and Fred Begerow. Preceding the banquet Fisk was guest of honor at an informal dinner in Hotel Carquinez.

D. W. Pierson of Hayward and A. H. Myers of the local post, who also attended the internation convention told of their impressions. Visitors from Concord and Albany posts were present and an invitation was received and accepted by the Richmond post to attend the installation of officers and presentation of charter to the Concord post January 5.

A membership drive was started last night with Dr. L. R. Sears and George S. Tandy as captains of opposing teams. The drive will end February 9. At the next meeting of the post, January 12, Past Department Adjutant Fred Bebergall of San Francisco will address the members on the community betterment program of the legion.

Italy yesterday went on a gold basis, under decree of Mussolini.

Mob Violence Fear As Youth Sleeps Quietly In Oregon Jail

By RICHMARD RUMMEL
(By Universal Service)

PENDLETON, Dec. 22.—William Edward Hickman, youthful participant in the most atrocious crime in Pacific Coast history, tonight slept peacefully in jail here. As he slept a curious but apparently not a dangerously angry crowd milled about the city hall in which he is confined. They muttered and they growled. At a late hour there appeared to be no danger of violence to the prisoner.

READY FOR REST

The solid brick building seemed large and strong enough to hold him. Having unburdened his conscience with a complete statement regarding his part in the kidnapping and murder of Marian Parker at Los Angeles young Hickman was more than ready to get some rest.

Lying down in his neat blue suit he soon was fast asleep. But even while the youth slept and the crowd remained outside, the small Pendleton police force remained on guard taking only short turns for occasional naps.

Veterans all of them, these policemen knew the temper of this "cow country" and knowing it as they do they are taking no chances on losing the prisoner they so meritoriously captured.

MOB THREATENS

It was soon after his arrest on the state highway that Hickman faced his greatest danger from mob violence which it was feared awaited him.

An angry crowd gathered as the officers took their prisoner toward Pendleton. On reaching here it had grown until it filled the streets. Dangerous talk was heard and the police guard closed around the youth.

"I'm not excited and I'm not worried," Hickman told a Universal Service correspondent in an interview made brief by the order of the district attorney in Los Angeles.

"I'm anxious to get back to Los Angeles and get it over with," he declared.

Huge Throng At Elk Xmas Party

More than 400 persons including 200 children attended the Christmas party of the Richmond lodge of Elks in the clubrooms last night. A program and Christmas tree featured the entertainment and each child received a toy and a box of candy from Santa Claus.

Miss Matilda Meyers Kiddies presented the numbers on the program, after which cake and ice cream were served to the children and coffee and sandwiches were served to the adults. The committee in charge of the affair was Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hazelton, Mr. and Mrs. Tsar Calfee and Mr. and Mrs George Adams.

The Matilda Meyers Kiddies taking part in the program were: Helen Yoohs, Jeanne Johansen, Raverna Lovedal, Grace Childs, Dorothy Heineman, Bernice Newford Eleanor Rossi, Kaline McConnell, Betty Archibald, Jennie Walker and Gladys Blount.

The German government last night consented to take over the representation of soviet interests in South China.

Woman Named In Crime; Youth's Adventures Read Like Wild Tale Of Fiction

YOUTH TELLS SEQUENCE OF KIDNAP PLOT

PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 22.—William Edward Hickman, accused of the murder of little Marian Parker last night revealed the following sequence of events surrounding the tragedy:

"My partner told me to meet him at the Harris hotel in San Francisco Sunday, Hickman said, "but when I got there he wasn't there. I waited until Tuesday morning and saw they had my name so I got real scared then and planned to get away myself. I had read about them searching for me in San Francisco, so I thought I would get away and go north. There was nothing else I could do.

MURDER CONCEALED

"After I saw him in Los Angeles, according to our appointment I said 'where is the girl' he just kind of grinned and I said 'where?'. When the father met me by appointment he kind of spoke and said "I want to see my daughter" and I said "She is here." I think I said she was asleep, and I told him to give me the money and that I had had trouble with her. He gave me the money right there and I told him I would drive up a little way

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Claude E. Clark Buys Interests Of S. S. Clark

Yesterday a deal of importance in the business world was concluded when Claude E. Clark purchased the interests of Sydney S. Clark in the real estate and insurance business at 715 Macdonald avenue, and in the future the business will be conducted under the name of "Claude E. Clarke Co."

Claude E. Clark is one of the pioneer business men of Richmond, and for years has been one of the most active men in the city in civic affairs. For two succeeding terms he was president of the Chamber of Commerce, was all the second president of the Richmond Lions club, and during the war period was chairman of the Red Cross activities. Most of the time he has resided in Richmond has been devoted to real estate, and he is considered an expert on values.

Sale of his interest in the company was made by Sydney S. Clark as preliminary to the acceptance of a connection in an official capacity with one of the largest and best known stock and bond houses in San Francisco. Since entering business in Richmond four years ago, Sydney Clark has made a host of friends who will extend him their best wishes on his new business connection. Clark stated that details of his new enterprise would be announced soon.

KIDNAPER ADMITS ABDUCTION BUT DENIES SLAYING; EAGER TO RETURN FOR TRIAL

(By Universal Service)

PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 22.—One of the greatest man hunts in the history of the nation is at an end.

William Edward Hickman, asserted fiend-slayer of Marion Parker, 12-year-old Los Angeles girl, was in the Umatilla County jail here tonight. After his capture at Echo, a small frontier town in the wilds of eastern Oregon, this afternoon had brought to a climatic close a hunt which lasted six days and consumed the energies of thousands of policemen, sheriffs' posses, peace officers and organized citizen man-hunters.

ADMITS KIDNAPPING

Admitting that he had kidnaped the little girl in Los Angeles a week ago today, Parker, in the Umatilla County jail, told questioning officials that he was innocent of the barbaric slaughter of the banker's daughter.

He is reported to have told officers that a man by the name of Andrew Cramer perpetrated them urder and quartered the little school-girl.

IMPLICATES WOMAN

A woman was also involved in the case, police learned from Hickman, as well as another man. Hickman claims he knew both parties but slightly, and that they made all connections with him at his apartment. He did not even know their address, he stated and does not know the woman's name. The Herald Hotel, San Francisco, was to have been the meeting place to divide the ransom money, Hickman declared.

PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 22.—It was a comparatively easy jaunt northward from California for William Edward Hickman confessed kidnaper of 12-year-old Marian Parker.

But it was when he turned back on a bit of advice given him at Seattle that he made the mistake of running directly into the hands of vigilant Oregon authorities.

These things were disclosed tonight following the youth's arrest on the Columbia river highway, 23 miles west of Pendleton by Chief of Police Tom Gurdane and State Traffic Officer, Buck Lieuallin.

In a talk with City Attorney C. Z. Randall of Pendleton young Hickman told of his adventures. Incidentally he verified that fact that he had ridden with two companions into Portland early Wednesday morning. Hickman admitted that he dropped Marian Parker's mutilated body at the feet of her father after collecting the $1,500 ransom offered for her safe return.

"I placed the package gently on the curb and I didn't throw it as they said," he made haste to explain.

WENT TO RESTAURANT

Then he said, he went to the Leighton restaurant in Los Angeles to eat and it was there that he passed the first $20 bill of the ransom roll.

"I'll bet you'd be surprised if you knew who I was," he said he told the waitress to whom he handed the money. Thereafter he told Randall he was in the Belleview apartments when detectives searched the house. Once, he declared, he even talked with one of the inspectors.

WENT TO S. F.

Sunday, he left for San Francisco, he said. Three times he was stopped by officers but after brief examination he was allowed to go on.

At San Francisco he said he was to meet Andy Cramer, whom he charges with having murdered the Parker girl.

They were to meet, he continued at the Herald hotel. Cramer did not appear he said, and Tuesday he drove north again.

Before reaching the Oregon-California line, Hichman picked up two youths who came into Portland with him. Under pretense that he had whisky in the car, he insisted in remaining at the state boundary until midnight when he drove across. This crossing was made, he told Randall at 12:15 a. m. Wednesday.

CROSSED BOUNDARY

After crossing the boundary once a light was flashed on the car. At that time however, he was resting on the rear seat and with the one of his companions at the wheel the car was allowed to go on.

At Portland Hickman's companions were dropped and he proceeded to Seattle picking up a sailor on the way. Definite trace was secured at Seattle through one of the three of the tell-tale $20 bills which he cashed there. The trail began to get warm.

ASKED ROADS

Hickman said he went to an auto club and asked to road to Spokane. They told him he might catch a train but one of the

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PUNCH FOR THE PARTY

Cordials, punches and refreshments are the life of the party. The serving is a friendly testimony of good-will. Whether there is dancing or just a friendly gathering at card tables, the gathering need not lack zest and sparkle. If you are in doubt as to what to get and where to buy, consult the Buyers Guide on the classified page.

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It is said that the populace used to turn out to cheer Louis the Fourteenth while he was getting his morning shave and some of the New York newspapers are rapidly getting into that frame of mind concerning Al Smith.

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On general principles we believe that it's right when in Rome to do as the Romans do; but when Mussolini insists that American visitors smoke Italian cigars, that's going too far.

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Remember the good old days when you thought you were having a good time if you went to the city on a dollar excursion and spent another while in the metropolis?

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France has just completed treaties of defense with five European nations. Which indicates that although they belong to the League of Nations the French are taking no chances.

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Chauncey Depew, hale and active at ninety-three, delivered a political address the other night. Doubtless he attributes his long political life to the fact that he has always been a republican.

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A New York dentist was shot the other day presumably by one of his patients. Most of us perhaps can sympathize a little with the patient.

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The dream of engineers is to furnish all the power from one central district. This is also the dreams of politicians.

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The need of the times is a windshield that will make a pedestrian look like a slick spot where one may skid.

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Woman's place may not be in the home. Some women don't know. They haven't looked there lately.

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Obscure jokesmiths are not useless. Except for them a great comedian would have no place to steal his stuff.

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Kissing is all right. We know it is. We know it is simply by looking at the people who say it is not.

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The way that man Remus struts around in that Cincinnati courtroom suggests that he's as proud of killing his wife as he is of his bootlegging record.

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That farmer who died recently, with a 17-foot beard, must have been the last Populist.

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When a political campaign begins too soon it doesn't end soon enough.—*Toledo Blade.*

Vigorous Health

TOMATOES—The poor tomato has led a rather heroic existence, being now extolled—now condemned. It was formerly called the Love Apple and was considered poisonous, which is a fine reflection on the noble sentiment of love. Recently, however, especially since the discovery of vitamins, the tomato has come into its own, although there are still some doctors who forbid it in rheumatism, kidney disease or other complaints.

After all the pro and con about the tomato it is difficult for many people to make up their minds whether to use it or not. I wish to assure all of my readers, however, that the tomato in itself is never anything but good. There may be occasions when it is better omited for a time, but this is not the fault of the tomato but of the abnormal condition of the individual. If one cannot eat a tomato without distress he generally needs a fast so as to restore a more normal condition.

In quite a variety of disorders it is often helpful to take an exclusive diet of tomatoes. They are very cleansing, alkalinize the system and when nothing else is taken considerable rest is permitted the digestive organs. The tomato diet is closely akin to the orange diet which I so often recommend.

The value of the tomato lies chiefly in its acids and in the organic salts and vitamins which it contains. The acids are chiefly malic the same as is in the apple, and citric, the same as is in the orange. The organic salts include potassium, sodium, chlorine, magnesium, calcium, phosphorus, sulphur, silicon and iron. All the various vitamins are included. There is also some protein, fat and carbohydrate present.

If unable to secure the fresh tomatoes, it is better to use the canned than none at all. Most every one would be benefited by using tomatoes regularly.

Will you please write about the garlic in milk diet for body building? How much of it can be taken and can it be overdone?
JOSEPH M.

If you wish to take the milk diet it is better to use milk alone or milk and oranges. Garlic is quite a powerful vegetable, and while it has valuable properties it would not add especially to the benefits from a milk diet. Any diet can be overdone. The maximum quantity for a milk diet in most cases is five or six quarts per day. Five or six oranges can also be taken. There are other variations of the milk diet, but these are the most important.

Is there any cure for joint rheumatism? My father, aged 65, has it very badly in his hands and feet. He has had it for six years.
G. A. W.

There is a cure, but it will take strict and persistent treatment. The usual measures include an orange and grapefruit diet for up to seven days, repeated as frequently as the weight and strength will permit until a normal condition has been restored. Between times a largely raw fruit and vegetable diet is employed. Sun baths are taken, if possible. A dry friction and cool water bath is used daily and such exercise as the condition will permit is taken regularly, gradually increasing the amount as the symptoms subside. There is no medicine or external application that will cure rheumatism.

Is mucus caused by eating improper foods or is it due to impaired functioning of the mucous membrane? C. SCHULTZ

An excess of mucus is due to a toxic condition of the system which may result from any improper habits of living as well as improper diets. There are no foods, which when eaten in normal amounts, will in themselves produce an excess of mucus. The function of the mucous membrane can hardly be said to be impaired, as the membranes must even be more active than usual in order to produce the extra mucus. Live rightly in every respect and you will not be bothered with an excess of mucus.

Affairs of the Heart and Your Marriage Problems

Patricia Lee

Patricia Lee answers questions relating to problems of married life. Names and address should be added to letters as a mark of good faith but will not be published. Readers who desire private answers should inclose a stamped self-addressed envelope and 10 cents in coin to cover cost of typing, etc. Because of space limitations it is not possible to print answers to all letters received, and readers who wish an early reply should take advantage of this special service. On account of the large quantity of mail coming to this department, about ten days should be allowed for a reply. Write to Patricia Lee, care of this paper.

"Abie's Irish Rose" to the contrary the situation of two people of different faiths marrying is one that from the beginning is beset with trials of every description.

In the first flush of young love nothing matters but the two concerned. In the first days of marriage no one outside the magic circle made by the two exists. But young married people very much in love can't live all to themselves.

There's the family of each to be considered. After all, a mother and a father who have reared a girl and loved her have a claim to her affections, and parents who have watched a boy grow into manhood and started him in life can not be disregarded. The families may be most broad-minded to their way of thinking but they are, oh, so very human. They look askance at the new husband or the new wife and see flaws that they never saw before. They blame the "upbringing" for many of the mistakes, and gradually there creeps in an antagonism that they can't explain and won't admit.

Until we have learned to forbear, until racial and religious barriers have been swept down, until we can see the good much more clearly and the evil less distinctly in our fellow men, the participants in "mixer marriages" will be pioneers and will have to bear hardships of the spirit as great as the physical hardships that the most intrepid adventurer ever dared.

Says The MAN

I read in your column the other day about a Jewish girl wanting to marry a Catholic boy. Well, if you would care to print my letter I would be glad to have you. I was a Jewish girl and fell in love with a Catholic fellow in Europe. I was so much in love that I overlooked all his bad habits and gave up my religion for him.

My mother would not sign any marriage papers for me, of course and I had to give up my parents and friends for his sake. His people were very nice to me and we were happy for two years and have a baby boy. My husband goes out more and more and I am alone a great deal. He is often away all night and I am worried and unhappy. I am a good housekeeper and love my baby more than anything in the world, but you see, I cannot have any of my people come to see me or the baby.

My husband got worse and worse and drank more and more, and finally I left him. But without money, family or friends there was nothing I could do. I went back to him. I have to stay with him for the baby's sake, although he doesn't love me any more. At least if I had married a man of my own religion I would have my family, and then, too, he would not say such terrible things to hurt me about my faith. I hope the young lady that wrote you reads my letter, and if she still has courage to marry all I want to tell her is that faith treats her better than luck.
MRS. A. B.

I hope she reads your letter, too. Of course, being of a different religion did not give your husband his bad habits, but I do sympathize with you being shut off from your family.

Says The WOMAN

My problem is this: I have a very good husband, but he has a bad habit of flirting while in my company, which makes me feel cheap. It seems disrespectful to me. What do you think?
MRS. L. H.

I think I wouldn't like it either! But it really isn't anything to worry greatly about. Let him flirt a little. He'll maybe get tired of it and if he sees that you really don't mind it he'll stop all the sooner.

WHAT YOUR BODY TELLS

The "Little Boy" Man Assumes An "Eager" Posture

Man's posture is a tell tale of his natural tendencies.

The mental characteristics of the man in the illustration are clearly portrayed in the curving spine, the hands clasped on the knees and the feet raised from the floor. All these curves express interest. One can almost hear this individual say: "You don't say so."

This fellow is interested in everything. He is the type who will sit on the edge of his chair until midnight to hear news along any line from "who killed cock robin" to the latest happenings of Hiram Johnson or Jimmy Walker.

Something of the little boy still clings to this fellow. He is enthusiastic and credulous and he finds much zest in life. He is sociable and friendly and ever awaiting his turn to talk.

The curving spine, the shoulders drooping and thrust forward and the cramped feet indicate an attitude of attention but not of comfort and strength. He is alert and interested, but not oversupplied with ambition, or he would learn correct posture.

In sitting it is best if one wishes health and charm, to take a restful position, relaxing the body muscles, supporting the back without slouching. The feet should be flat on the floor. It is of first importance that the lungs are not hampered in doing their work.

One should always assume a posture conducive to health, comfort and charm.

GOOD NEWS FOR ANY LONG FELLOW

Blankets too short to tuck in at the foot of the bed and to keep one's shoulders covered at the same time can be made to do this double duty with the help of a strip of unbleached muslin. A band of the muslin 12 to 18 inches wide may be sewed to one end of short blankets.

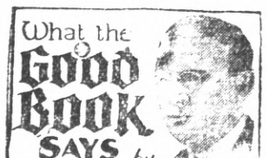
Double blankets that are too short when folded in the middle may be folded so that one side is longer than the other. This makes the blanket long enough to tuck in firmly though only one thickness of blanket will cover one's shoulders.

SUNDAY BLUES

Mother—Now, Billy, tell us how you know when Sunday comes.

Billy—Yes'm I allus knows it is Sunday, coz gradpa won't lemme sing "Henrietta, She's a Corker."

What the Good Book Says



by Rev. R. W. Keeler, D.D.

Q. Is it true that afflictions sent to us are a mark of God's love?—A. D. G., Jersey City, N. J.

A. "For whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth, and scourgeth every son whom he receiveth."—Hebrews XII:6.

Q. On what mountain was Solomon's temple built?—W. L. W., Fort Worth, Tex.

A. "Then Solomon began to build the house of the Lord at Jerusalem in the Mount Moriah, where the Lord appeared unto David his father, in the place that David had prepared in the threshing floor of Ornan the Jebusite."—II. Chronicles III:1.

Q. Did God ever compare the wiping out of Jerusalem to the wiping of a dish?—E. R. B., New York City.

A. "And I will stretch over Jerusalem and line of Samaria, and the plummet of the house of Ahab: and I will wipe Jerusalem as a man wipeth a dish, wiping it, and turning it upside down."—II. Kings XXI:13.

Q. Was Paul ever termed a ring leader?—F. J. C., Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. "For we have found this man a pestilent fellow, and a mover of sedition among all the Jews throughout the world, and a ringleader in the sect of the Nazarenes."—The Acts XXIV:5.

Q. What woman raised her voice in protest at the trial of Jesus?—L. K. B., New Bedford, Mass.

A. "When he (Pilate) was set down on the judgment seat his wife sent unto him, saying, Have thou nothing to do with that just man; for I have suffered many things this day in a dream because of him."—Matthew XXVII:19.

What Do You Know?

1. How many lines are there in a sonnet?
2. How old must a man be to be eligible to be President of the United States?
3. What name is applied to an angle greater than a right angle?
4. What living royal family descended from King Soloman and the Queen of Sheba?
5. Where is the Assuan Dam?
6. Of what land was Camoens national poet? What was his greatest work?
7. What is the salary of the Speaker of the House of Representatives?
8. What is the Order of the Bath?

GOOD MANNERS

Q. Please explain in detail the proper placing of silver for a formal dinner.

A. The knives are placed at the right of the plate half an inch from the edge of the table, with the cutting edge toward the plate. Place the spoons, with the bowls facing up, at the right of the knife or knives, and the forks, with the tines turned upward, at the left of the place. The silver should be placed in the order in which it is to be used, beginning at the outside and using toward the plate. Too lavish a display of silver is considered poor taste. More than three forks are not placed on the table at one time. If more are required they are placed with their respective courses. Silver for the dessert course is never put on with silver required for other courses, except for the dinner which is served without a maid. If there is no maid, however, everything should be done to avoid the necessity of the hostess leaving the table.

BEWARE OF MARRIED MEN

BY ARLINE DE HAAS

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SYNOPSIS

Myra Martin, secretary to Leonard Gilbert, a prominent divorce lawyer in Los Angeles, is engaged to marry her employer. One morning her younger sister, Helene, whom she has cared for since their mother's death, calls at Myra's office, and at the same time Huntley Sheldon, whose escapades in the divorce courts are notorious, arrives to arrange about his wife's most recent attempt to obtain a separation from him. Myra is unwilling to have her sister meet Sheldon, but she is summoned into Gilbert's private office and is forced to leave the two alone.

CHAPTER II

In the inner office Myra was attempting to conceal her impatience to get back to her own desk, while Gilbert explained some workings of papers to be made out. It wasn't that she distrusted Helene, or felt that the girl could not be left alone with a man, but she knew only too well Sheldon and his kind. Furthermore, if he were really being divorced by his wife she didn't want her sister mixed up in any of the notoriety that was certain to attend such proceedings. Helene was young—and a man of the world could easily play upon her credulity and her sympathy if he were so inclined. And Myra had had plenty of experience with such people—more than she cared for.

She was not surprised, then, but she felt a little tremor of fear and unpleasant misgiving when she opened the door and saw Sheldon making an annotation in a little red book which he slowly put back in his vest pocket when he noticed Myra in the doorway. Undoubtedly Helene's telephone number, she thought. She'd have to give the child a talking to. There was no sense in putting one's head in a noose. So it was with frigid politeness that she spoke to Sheldon.

"Mr. Gilbert will see you now, Mr. Sheldon. Will you come in?"

"Thank you." Sheldon bowed low to Helene, and smiled—a smile of friendliness plus a little gleam of understanding, as though the two shared some secret. And Helene, flattered at the attention of such a famous personage—smiled back.

"Helene," Myra came over to the desk and put her arm about her sister's shoulders, "I don't want to seem preachy and prudish, but I'd be just a little careful of Huntley Sheldon, if I were you."

"Why, Myra?" Helene looked up with an innocence that was more real than feigned.

"Well, you see, dear, if he's getting a divorce there's certain to be a great deal of publicity about it," Myra explained. "And any girl seen with him is liable to be involved even if there is no reason for it whatsoever. People will guess and whisper. And the papers will do more than that. I just didn't want you to flirt with Mr. Sheldon or give him any opportunity to flirt with you."

"O, but Myra, I wasn't flirting with him!" Helene opened her big, blue eyes, and her arched lips puckered in a little pout. "Really, I wasn't. And anyhow, he's awfully nice."

Myra laughed. "Yes, I know. They all are. But if you had to see as many of them as I do, you'd begin to be just a little careful."

"Well, it really didn't hurt to talk to him, did it?" Helene stalled pleadingly.

"O, no, I don't suppose so," Myra turned back to her desk. "I just wanted to warn you, that's all."

"But, sis, I'm old enough to be let loose without my leash, aren't I?" Helene giggled, but she glanced surreptitiously now and again towards Gilbert's office, listening for the sound of a closing door that would announce Sheldon's departure.

Gilbert and Sheldon were, however, busily discussing the latest move of the beautiful and temperamental Mrs. Sheldon.

"I tell you, Gilbert, I really think she's going through with it this time," Sheldon was explaining, "and of course she'll come to you to handle the case. I just thought I'd let you know what was happening. Let's see, this'll be the fifth time she's started to divorce me, won't it?"

Gilbert laughed and turned to a card index on his desk, leafing through the notations there. "No, this is only the fourth. I say, I ought to make you special rates, if this keeps up. What's it about this time?"

"O, the same old thing. Nita's heard about the party I threw for that little French actress, and she's raised a row ever since. I can't imagine who told her."

"Good Lord, Sheldon, I think everybody heard about that. Even a private room at a roadhouse won't protect you when your guests wander all over the place and tell the world what's happening."

"I suppose not," Sheldon sighed. "O, well, we might just as well get it over with. I like Nita—she's a good scout—but what a temper! I've never seen a woman who could throw as many tantrums over nothing as she can. I suppose it's the Spanish blood in her that causes it."

"Well, I've only got one thing to say to you, Sheldon," Gilbert advised. "Don't, whatever you do, spread your affairs before the world while this is going on. Of course, unless you don't care what comes out. Nita'll be ready to snatch at any straw, and you'll only get the other party into a hell of a mess because Nita will stop at nothing."

Helene looked up with an innocence that was more real than feigned.

"Well, I'll be as careful as I can. But you know I'm not used to hiding my light under a bushel. I hate camouflage and trickery."

"You may—but there are other people who do not care to have their little secrets broadcasted—and very often you do a great deal of harm to an innocent party. I'm just telling you, that's all."

"All right, Gilbert. I suppose you're right. I'll try to be careful. And if Nita comes in to see you, you handle the case as you think best. Of course I won't fight it. You'll have a clear field to play on." Sheldon looked at his watch. "Got to run along—I'm late for an appointment now. See you in court, old boy—if not before. And of course I'll settle all bills. Just send them 'round when you're ready."

The two men rose. Gilbert opened the door of the reception hall and sent Sheldon on his way.

At the sound of the closing door Helene gave a start, but subsided immediately into an unaccustomed calm. She looked cautiously at Myra to see whether her sister had noticed anything unusual. But Myra's head was bent over her papers and to all appearances she was engrossed in her work. She didn't see any reason whatsoever why she shouldn't talk to Huntley Sheldon, or even see him occasionally if she wanted to. After all, he really was attractive and he did have such an air about him. He probably danced very well—and all those things in the papers were mostly made up. He'd told her so himself.

So she waited a few moments, and then slid leisurely off the desk and faced Myra.

"Well, I guess I'll toddle along, Sis," she smiled. "And you'll ask Leonard about tonight?"

"Yes, I'll see," Myra raised her head from her papers, looking slightly distrait. "Where are you going with Ralph?"

(To be continued)

Society and Club News

UNITY LODGE ENJOYS FINE XMAS PARTY

Games and a program featured the Christmas party of Unity lodge, Daughters of St. George last night in Woodmen hall. Santa Claus distributed gifts to the youngsters from a huge Christmas tree. The party was preceded by a short business meeting and the committee in charge was Mrs. Susan Pimm, Mrs. Lottie Waddingham, Mrs. M. Davies, Mrs. Ben Banner, Mrs. Edith Cochran and Mrs. L. Nee.

ST. MARKS CHOIR TO GIVE PROGRAM

The augmented choir of St. Mark's Catholic church under the direction of Mrs. A. J. Bennett is preparing a special Christmas program which will be sung during midnight mass Christmas eve. Appropriate chorals are being prepared for the 10:30 o'clock mass.

VACATION IN SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Caudle with Mrs. Caudle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGinity will spend the Christmas holidays in Los Angeles as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. J. C. Rendler. They will leave today, returning next Tuesday.

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Success Attends Food Sale Held By Local War Mothers

A successful food sale and bazaar was given by the Richmond War Mothers yesterday at 1616 Macdonald avenue. The food was quickly disposed of and the attractive aprons offered were sold early in the afternoon.

Many ladies took advantage of their last minute opportunity to purchase dainty hand-made articles to be used as Christmas gifts. Mrs. Grace Cole and Mrs. Sarah Pitchford were in charge of the sale and expressed themselves as highly gratified with the results obtained and wish to express their thanks on behalf of the War Mothers to the public for its hearty response.

The War Mothers will meet in Memorial hall this afternoon at 1 o'clock to pack Christmas boxes for the men in the tubercular wards in the Letterman hospital.

PARTY GIVEN BY LOCAL WHIST CLUB

A whist party was given by the members of the Richmond Whist club in Woodmen hall. Those holding high scores were: Mrs. Jack Moore, Mrs. W. K. Randall, Jack Moore, Mrs. Carson and Mrs. J. R. Reid.

IAQUA GROUP TO AID NEEDY FAMILIES

Gifts and food for poor families will be brought for distribution by the Iaqua group of Campfire Girls at a meeting to be held at the clubrooms in the city hall at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The time for the meeting had previously been announced to take place in the evening.

Is She-?

HELEN OF TROY? Olga Solovlova (above), dancer, believes she is the reincarnation of Helen of Troy, sung through the ages as the girl whose beauty "launched a thousand ships" and caused one of the great wars of history.

MRS. WALLBANK HOSTESS AT "AT HOME" FETE

An "at home" was held by Mrs. Thomas Wallbank for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Walter Wallbank, a bride of a few days from two to four yesterday afternoon and from 7 to 9 o'clock last night. Mrs. Walker Wallbank, formerly Miss Mary Jeannette Oncley, resided in Evansville, Indiana, until recently.

POINT BAPTIST TO GIVE XMAS PROGRAM

A Christmas program will be presented tonight at the Point Richmond Baptist church to which members and their friends are invited. After the program Santa Claus will distribute gifts from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree.

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1ST CHRISTIAN CLASS HOLDS FOOD SALE

An all-day sale of delicious home made candies was held by the Big Sisters class of the First Christian church at the Pon Honor store yesterday. The candies offered were donated by the ladies of the First Christian church, several interested organizations, and by the girls themselves. The girls reported a generous response from the public and an attractive successful array. The proceeds will be used to provide Christmas cheer for the needy.

The members of this enterprising class are: Hattie May Smith, president; Orleen Torrence, vice-president; Alene Hicks, secretary; Geraldine Clerk, treasurer; Sterling Kitchen, Lois Ferguson and Mildred Ferguson.

Those taking part in the sale were: Mildred Ferguson, Lois Ferguson, Alene Hicks and Hattie May Smith. Mr. Stebbins is the able director of the Big Sisters class.

MARRIAGE OF FLORENCE RUSSELL ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Miss Florence Russell to Matt Ivans last June was announced at a dainty luncheon given by Mrs. A. R. Searcy at her home in the Grand Canyon district. Mrs. Frank Russell mother of the bride, made the announcement. The bride remained with her parents in Mountain View enabling the bride and groom to keep the marriage secret.

The Russells came here from Richland Center, Wisconsin five years ago. Their daughter was a student in the local schools and has many acquaintances here. Ivan holds a responsible position in San Francisco and the young couple intend to make their home there.

PLUS ULTRA FOOD SALE IS TODAY

A food sale will be held by the Plus Ultra class of the First Baptist church at 1016 Macdonald avenue, between Tenth and Eleventh street today. Home-made pies, fruit cake, plum pudding and candy for Christmas desserts, and other home-made dishes, will be on display. It will be an all-day sale and will begin at 9 o'clock.

PAGEANT PLANNED AT ST. EDMUNDS

A pageant, "the Nativity" by Rosamond Kimball, will be presented tonight at 7:30 o'clock by the members of the church school of the St. Edmund's Episcopal church. They will be assisted by the junior and adult choirs.

Those in the cast are: Zacharias, Donald March; Joseph, Clifford Davies; Mary, Elizabeth Brown; Gabriel, Jean Gidley; Angel, Antoinette Selzer; Shepherds James March, John Ball and Raymond Hastings; Wise Men, Geo. Selles, Leland Goldsworthy, and Linwood Frates.

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Grace Lutheran To Give Xmas Party Tonight

A Christmas party will be held by the members of the Grace Lutheran Sunday school at the church at Barrett avenue and Thirteenth street this evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Every class will participate. The junior boys' class will present a Christmas acrostic. The Light Brigade will sing "Oh Christmas Tree" and "Jesus Bids Me Shine".

A violin solo, "The Holy City" will be rendered by Gordon Rich-

MUSICAL CLUB TO TAKE PART IN XMAS CAROLS

Members of the Richmond Musical club will meet at one o'clock Christmas morning in the gulch

mond. A special Christmas offering will be taken after which Santa Claus will appear with candy for the children.

There will be a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. All parents and their children are invited. Mrs. C. H. Bastin and Mrs. Fred Havenchild are in charge of the affair.

room of the Episcopal church at Tenth street and Barrett avenue to participate in the singing of Christmas carols according to plans made at their practice meeting.

A special request is made to the members to be present at the next meeting to be held Thursday morning, December 29, as the parts are to be assigned for the program to be presented Saturday, January 28.

SON BORN

Rev. and Mrs. George Gilchrist of Santiago Chile, are the parents of a son, according to a message received here by Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Sanborne, parents of Mrs. Gilchrist.

Chamber Directors Elected To Office

With the conclusion of balloting yesterday seven directors of the Richmond chamber of commerce were elected as follows: E. M. Downer, H. A. Johnston, C. S. Renwick, George N. Rooker, Aubrey Wilson, P. M. Sanford and Fred Caudle.

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But speaking of tough experiences in filming a picture, and every Sills' picture takes the star through hardships innumerable—"Hard Boiled Haggerty" gave him a thorough taste of the World War, from falling a thousand feet in a burning airplane, for the camera, to being gassed, but not for the camera!

The gassing came from the burning airplane. A "cold fire" used on the star's clothes and in the plane cockpit released chlorine gas, used by the Germans during the war. It nearly put Sills down for a long siesta!

"Hard Boiled Haggerty" was produced for First National Pictures by Wid Gunning, and directed by Charles Barbin. Carey Wilson adapted it from a magazine story by Elliott White Springs. Molly O'Day, a new leading lady of great promise and ability, plays opposite the star, and Arthur Stone, Mitchell Lewis, George Fawcett and Yola d'Avril figure prominently in the cast.

A touch of airplane warfare starts the plot with thrills that are multiplied in subsequent action in Paris and other locales behind the lines, in colorful World War days.

Other features on the same program include Hal Roach's latest "Our Gang" comedy entitled "Seeing The World"; "Our Gang" screen tests; "Review" International News; and Larry Canelo, at the organ.

"UNDERWORLD" HOLDS BOARDS AT RICHMOND

For weeks, word has been coming from Hollywood of "a new picture sensation."

Apparently it is arousing more discussion among directors, producers and stars than anything made in recent months.

The title is "Underworld" a melodramatic story of modern crime in a great American city. According to all reports, it daringly tears aside all the pretenses, and ignorant ranting that have been shielding crime conditions from the eyes of truth.

Ben Hecht's story is declared to be the most startling that has yet come from his versatile pen, dealing with actual conditions that exist in a metropolitan center, these woven into a stirring romance.

Dives, criminal haunts, gangsters, their women, their feuds with each other, their battles with police, their marauding expeditions into treasure vaults, all are shown in a realistic manner by Josef Von Sternberg, Paramount director.

Hector Turnbull, whose supervision the picture was produced says:

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"Underworld" comes to the Richmond theatre for a first showing today.

Other film features include the eighth thrilling chapter of "The Golden Stallion", featuring Lefty Flynn; and "Steamer Day", a screen novelty.

Plenty Hard Boiled

THAT'S Milton Sills in his new role as "Hard-Boiled Haggerty," now playing at the California. The star goes through numerous World War experiences as an ace with no sense of caution.

Radio News

KYA—San Francisco 309 Meters

10:30 a. m.—Diet and health talk by Dr. Buren L. Corley.
11 to noon—KYA air circus.
5 to 5:30 p. m.—Radio Santa Claus.
5:30 to 7 p. m.—Golden Gate Crier and Georgie Earle.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—Talk by Dr. Albertine Nash, feature writer of the "The Examiner."
8 to 9 p. m.—Musical program.
10 to 11 p. m.—Carnival Night at Apollo Cafe, with Paul Kelli's Nine Orchestrans.

KGO—361 Meters General Electric, Oakland

11:30 a. m. to 1 p. m.—Concert.
1 p. m.—Weather and stock reports.
6 to 6:45 p. m.—Dinner concert.
6:55 p. m.—News, weather, produce, grain, cotton and stock reports.
8 to 9 p. m.—Pacific Network; Wrigley Hour. .. ..
9 to 10 p. m.—Western Artists Series concert.
10 to 11 p. m.—Dance music.

KPO—428 Meters Hale Bros.-Chronicle, S. F.

6:45 to 7:15 a. m.—Health drill
8 to 9 a. m.—Happy hour.
10:30 to 11 a. m.—Fashion hints by Babette.
11 a. m.—Home service talk.
11:30 a. m.—Hawaiian music with Elmer Herling baritone.
Noon—Time signals. Scripture reading and weather forecast.
12:45 p. m.—Address from the Commonwealth Club luncheon at the Palace Hotel.
1 to 2 p. m.—KPO orchestra.
4 to 5 p. m.—Nurok Trio.
5 to 6 p. m.—Children's hour.
6 to 6:30 p. m.—Town crier.
6:30 to 7:30 p. m.Uda Waldrop, organist.
8 to 9 p. m.—Pacific Network; Wrigley Hour. .. ..
9 to 10 p. m.—Studio program
10 to 11 p. m.—Dance music.

KFRC—268 Meters Don Lee, S. F.

7 to 8 a. m.—Seal Rock program by Simpy Fitts and his seals and mermaids.
8 to 9 a. m.—Studio program.
11 to 11:30 a. m.—Aunt Martha
11:30 a. m.—Amateur tryouts
3:30 to 4:30 p. m.—Students hour by the "Observer."
Noon to 1 p. m.—Sherman-Clay concert.
4:30 to 5:30 p. m.—Organ recital by Theodore Strong.
5:30 to 6:20 p. m.—Mac and his gang.
6:25 to 6:30 p. m.—Stage and screen, police reports "Call's" lost and found.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—Cecillian trio.
8 to 9 p. m.—Shell Serenaders.
9 p. m. to midnight—Dance music.

KFWI—250 Meters San Francisco

7 to 8 a. m.—Health exercise.
8:20 to 10:27 Musical breakfast hour.
10:27 to 10:30 —Weather report.
Noon to 1 p. m.—Concert, with educational talk.
5 to 5:30 p. m. Concert.
5:30 to 5:45 p. m. Advance construction reports.
5:45 to 6 p m—Musical program.
6 to 7 p. m.—Program arranged by Irene Smith.
7:15 to 7:30 p. m.—Sports on the Air.
7:15 to 7:30 p. m.—Art course.
8 to 9 p. m.—Lillian Craig, soprano and associated artists.
9 to 10 p. m.—Dance music.
10 to 10:03 p. m.—Police reports.
10:03 to 11 p. m.—Program of popular music.

KJBS—220 Meters San Francisco

9 a. m. to noon— Instrumental and vocal selections.
1:30 to 7:30 p. m.—Vocal and instrumental program.
8 to 11 p. m.—Studio program.

Paulsen Purchases 2-Story Building

For a consideration of approximately $30,000, A. L. Paulsen, Richmond realtor, has purchased a two-story building on the north side of Macdonald avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets from Anna Heinsen. The building is occupied by the Carquinez Flower Shop and the offices of Harry Pulse. W. J. Richards, Jr. represented the seller.

Key Employes To Observe Xmas

Musical and entertainment features planned especially for the children will be presented at the huge Christmas entertainment of the Key System Transit company employes tomorrow afternoon in Jenny Lind hall, Oakland.

S. G. Culver, chairman, and Alfred Olson, vice-chairman head the various committees in charge of he event. E. J. McKay, secretary of the employes association, declared yesterday that there would be a present for every child in the family of a Key employe.

LEGAL NOTICES

PETITION FOR REORGANIZATION

BEFORE THE LOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of Reorganization of the SAN PABLO SANITARY DISTRICT.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA:

The petition of the undersigned, residents and freeholders within the boundaries of the San Pablo Sanitary District of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and also a majority of the members of the Sanitary Board of said Sanitary District, respectfully shows and represents:

That said San Pablo Sanitary District is now organized and existing as a sanitary district under the provisions of that certain Act of the State of California entitled, "An Act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks, and other sanitary disposal of sewerage matter; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such district; the assessment, levying, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, disposal and retirement of bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making a provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved May 25, 1919.

That the said sanitary district is situated in the County of Contra Costa and is bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly boundary line of the City of Richmond, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, with the westerly boundary line of Lot No. 84 as the said Lot No. 84 is shown on map entitled "Map of the San Pablo Rancho Accompanying and forming a part of the Final Report of the Referees in Partition dated September 1st, 1893", which said map was heretofore on the 1st day of March, 1894, filed in the office of the County Recorder of said County, and running thence easterly, northerly, southeasterly and northeasterly along the boundary line of said City of Richmond to the angle point in said boundary line at Wild Cat Creek; thence southeasterly and easterly along the northeasterly and northerly boundary line of said City of Richmond to the intersection with the center line of street shown and designated as Park Avenue on that certain map entitled "Map of Tewksbury Heights," Contra Costa County, California," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California on the 20th day of September, 1909; thence northeasterly along the center line of said Park Avenue to its intersection with the direct extension southeasterly of the northeasterly line of Block 5, said Tewksbury Heights; thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of said Tewksbury Heights and said direct extension southeasterly thereof to the most northerly corner of Block 6 said Tewksbury Heights; thence northwesterly in a direct line to the most easterly corner of Block 5 as said Block 5 is shown on map entitled, "Mufich North Richmond Heights," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 3rd day of June, 1913, thence northwesterly along the boundary line of said Mufich North Richmond Heights to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the East Richmond Boulevard Tract as shown on map of said "East Richmond Boulevard Tract," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 6th day of April, 1908; thence northwesterly along the northeasterly boundary line of said East Richmond Boulevard Tract and the direct extention northwesterly thereof to the easterly line of Lot 137, said San Pablo Rancho; thence northerly and westerly along the boundary line of said Lot 137 to the most northerly corner of Lot 181, said San Pablo Rancho at San Pablo Creek; thence westerly along said San Pablo Creek to the most westerly corner of Lot 183; said San Pablo Rancho; thence southeasterly along the southwesterly line of said Lot 183, across Road No. 17 to a point on said southwesterly line of Lot 183, distant 508.3 feet north westerly from the westerly line of the Stockton Street extension, being the angle point in the boundary line of the lands of the Hercules Water Company; thence southerly along the boundary line of said lands of the Hercules Water Company to Station 246 in Wild Cat Creek; thence westerly down said Wild Cat Creek as said Creek is shown on said map of San Pablo Rancho, to stake marked 28; thence S. 52 1-2 degrees W. 3 chains, 59 links to a stake; thence S. 53 1-2 degrees E. 20 chains to a granite post marked S. P. No. 8 on the westerly line of Lot 198 of said San Pablo Rancho; thence southerly along the westerly line of said Lot 198 and continuing southerly along the westerly line of Lot 84 of said San Pablo Rancho to its intersection with said northerly boundary line of the City of Richmond and the point of beginning.

That your petitioners are residents and freeholders within the territory of said sanitary district and also a majority of the members of the Sanitary Board of said San Pablo Sanitary District, and that said petitioners and said members of said Sanitary Board desire to re-organize said sanitary district under the provisions of that certain Act of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof", approved May 17, 1923.

WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray that this Honorable Board make and enter its order approving the statements and matters in this petition set forth and contained, and ordering that said territory of said San Pablo Sanitary District as hereinabove described be organized as a sanitary district under the provisions of that certain Act of the State of California as hereinabove particularly set forth; and approved May 17, 1923, entitled "An Act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof." Approved May 17, 1923.

SIGNATURES OF RESIDENTS AND FREEHOLDERS OF SAN PABLO SANITARY DISTRICT.

NAME	ADDRESS
Joseph Muren, lots 8 and 9, block 1, Dodson tract.	
C. H. Tyler, lot 5 and south half of 6, block 2, Dodson tract.	
D. Martz, lot 113 and 114, block 6.	
Mrs. E. Thevenin, lot 23 and 24, block Richmond-San Pablo tract.	
John Moitoza, lot 174, San Pablo rancho, Alvarado street.	
O. H. Sodern, lot 181, San Pablo rancho, Alvarado street.	
Rosalina Alameda, lot 175, San Pablo rancho, Alvarado street.	
Clara Williams, lot 1, 2, and 3, block 4, Emeric tract.	
George V. McCausland, lot 1 block 7, San Pablo Villa.	
Mary Rose, lot 5, block 4, Emeric tract.	
Olaf T. Owens, lot 6, block 4, Emeric tract.	
Rosa Owens, lot 4, block 4, Emeric tract.	
Frank M. Silva, lot 162, San Pablo rancho.	
A. E. Rose, lot 4, Joe Rose tract, San Pablo.	
D. E. Bowman, Rancho San Pablo, portions lot 109 and 108.	
Wm. H. Sutliff, Rancho San Pablo, lots 109 and 110.	
B. O. Rowland, portion lot 122 San Pablo rancho.	
Ivan T. Boyadjieff, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 12, block 5, Tewksbury Heights.	
Walter Powney, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, block 1, Mufich North Richmond Heights.	
Andrew Wieling, lot 14, block 4 East Richmond Boulevard.	
Tillie Wieling, lot 13, block 7, East Richmond Boulevard.	
George Gray, lot 137, portion of San Pablo rancho.	
Elizabeth A. Colclough, lots 1 and 11, block 7, San Pablo Villa tract.	
George Wood, lots 11 and 13 block 13, San Pablo Villa tract.	
Mabel Sisson, lot 9, block 8, San Pablo Villa tract.	
W. E. Pace, lot 26 and 27, block 7, Andrade-View tract.	
E. A. McCoy, lot 1, block 18, Sunnyside tract	
E. A. Woodfill, lot 7 and 8 block 15, Sunnyside tract.	
O. P. Seyferth, lot 13, block 8 Emeric tract	
W. C. Richards, lot 24 and 25 block 7, Andrade-View.	
Fritz Carlfield, San Pablo, Cal	

SIGNATURES OF A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SANITARY BOARD OF THE SAN PABLO SANITARY DISTRICT.

NAME.	ADDRESS.
F. H. Rosa R. F. D., Box 474 Richmond.	
Por. 89, San Pablo Rancho	
M. G. Moitoza, San Pablo; Portion lot 162, San Pablo rancho.	
W. H. McCoy, R. F. D., Box 290, Richmond	
Fritz Carlfield, Lot north half of 6, all of 7 and 8, Block 2, Dodson tract.	

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Contra Costa, ss.,

FRITZ CARLFIELD being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he is a resident and freeholder within the district and territory described in the foregoing petition, and that he is a qualified elector in said district; and that he is one of the petitioners who signed the foregoing petition, and that all the signatures to said annexed and foregoing petition were made in his presence, and that to the best of his information, knowledge and belief, each signature thereto is the genuine signature of the person whose name purports to be thereto subscribed; that he has read the annexed and foregoing petition, knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters, that he believes it to be true. And that said petition is signed by a majority of the members of the sanitary board of said sanitary district.

FRITZ CARLFIELD

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of December, 1927.

(SEAL) GROVER E. MILNES
Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Reorganization of the SAN PABLO SANITARY DISTRICT.

NOTICE OF TIME WHEN PETITION WILL BE PRESENTED TO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above and foregoing petition for reorganization of the San Pablo Sanitary District of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, will be presented to the Board of Supervisors of said County of Contra Costa, at the Board of Supervisors' Room, in the Court House, in the Town of Martinez said county and state, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1928 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. on said date, and that the petition for reorganization of said sanitary district will be heard by said Board of Supervisors at said time and place, when and where all or any persons interested therein may appear and be heard and show cause why the said petition should not be granted.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1927.

(SEAL) FRITZ CARLFIELD
Secretary of San Pablo Sanitary District.

Publish Dec. 10 to 25 1927.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, ON THE 19th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1927 PASSED AND ADOPTED RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 456 TO ORDER THE FOLLOWING WORK TO BE DONE IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SAID RESOLUTION BEING SUBSTANTIALLY AS FOLLOWS:

"That the public interest and convenience require, and that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond to order the closing up of the following described portions of the following public streets within the corporate limits of the City of Richmond, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, to-wit:-

"Rheem Avenue bounded and described as follows, to-wit:- Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 2, as shown on map entitled "Map of the Kearny Andrade Tract", filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, June 12, 1912 and running thence in direct lines as follows; To the southwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 1, said Kearny Andrade Tract; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 3, said Block 1; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 1, aforesaid Block 2; thence to the northwesterly corner of last said Lot 1 and the point of beginning.

"Also Dunn Avenue bounded and described as follows, to-wit:- Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 3, as shown on map entitled "Map of the Kearny Andrade Tract" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, June 12, 1912 and running thence in direct lines as follows; To the southwesterly corner of Lot 42, Block 2, said Kearny Andrade Tract; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 42; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 1, aforesaid Block 3; thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot 1 and the point of beginning.

"Also Hellings Avenue bounded and described as follows, to-wit:- Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 4, as shown on map entitled "Map of the Kearny Andrade Tract" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, June 12, 1912 and running thence in direct lines as follows; to the southwesterly corner of Lot 42, Block 3, said Kearny Andrade Tract; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 3, aforesaid Block 4; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 1, said Block 4 and the point of beginning.

"Also an unnamed street bounded and described as follows, to-wit:- Beginning at the southwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 1, as shown on map entitled "Map of the Kearny Andrade Tract" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, June 12, 1912 and running thence in direct lines as follows; To the northwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 2, said Kearny Andrade Tract; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 42; Block 3, said Kearny Andrade Tract; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 1, Block 4, said Kearny Andrade Tract; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 1, aforesaid Block 1 and the point of beginning.

"That the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be affected or benefited by the closing up of said portions of said street and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof are hereby specified as follows, to-wit:- The exterior boundaries of the City of Richmond as they now exist, are hereby adopted as and shall constitute and be the boundaries of such district.

"That said work or improvement is to be done under an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose" approved March 6, 1889, and all acts amendatory thereto."

Reference is hereby made to said Resolution of Intention Number 456 now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, for further particulars.

Richmond, California, December 20, 1927.

EDWARD A. HOFFMAN
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond.

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Last Rites Held For Heny Nixon

Following services in the Bert Curry chapel yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the remains of Henry Martin Nixon, Santa Fe storekeeper were interred in Sunset View cemetery.

Nixon passed away at the family home, 567 Dimm avenue, Tuesday night. He was a native of Texas and had resided here the past ten years.

He was the husband of Mrs. Fannie Nixon, and the father of L. H. Nixon of Oregon, H. I. Nixon and Mrs. S. B. Sneed of Martinez, Mrs. John Wagner of Burlingame, T. H. Nixon of Richmond, and P. H. and P. D. Nixon.

Two Held On Rum Charges Bailed

Harry Starke and his brother-in-law, Charles W. Shade, of 1701 Potrero avenue arrested on a charge of illegal possession of liquor were freed yesterday on bail by Police Judge C. A. Odell after they had entered pleas of not guilty to the charges. They will appear for trial before Judge Odell January 25.

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Woman Named In Crime; Youth's Adventures Read Like Wild Tale Of Fiction

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passes was too deep with snow to allow driving. It was this information that decided the hunted youth to double back. He drove straight into the path of those looking for him.

At Portland this morning he bought some gasoline and then turning east he started up the Columbia river.

Getting into the gorge he found himself in a trap with only one direction to go and that was straight ahead. Casket Locks reported him passing there in the morning and the net was spread for him.

CAPTURED WITHOUT FIGHT

The youthful fugitive was captured without a struggle, when two officers, who had been watching for him on the strength of "hot" tips, pounced upon him as the big green sedan he was driving turned a corner of the highway near Echo. He was speeding toward the wilds of eastern Oregon, when the capture occurred the officers who effected the capture are: Tom Gurdano, chief of police, and Buck Lieuallen, traffic sergeant.

BILLS AID PROBE

A trail of "blood money"—the $20 gold certificates which Perry M. Parker, Los Angeles banker had paid for the mangled body of his little daughter—led to the capture of the accused diabolical murderer.

Driving a big green sedan, Hickman, despite the keen eyes of thousands of zealous searchers "peeled" for the youth, had eluded the vast web of pursuers, covering southern California, and made his escape into the northwest.

Last night, the first substantial clue concerning the fugitive's whereabouts appeared in Seattle, when one of the $20 bills was cashed in a haberdashery store there.

The great manhunt, shifting overnight to the northwest, mounted to a fever pitch during the day, as one "tip" after another streamed into the offices of authorities in a hundred or more cities and towns.

DOUBLED BACK

This afternoon the discovery that Hickman had cashed a second $20 bill in Kent, Wash., led to the correct belief that he had doubled back on his tracks and was headed southward from Seattle.

Then, later, the green sedan was "spotted" at a gasoline station on the Columbia river highway. The knowledge that Hickman was fleeing to the wide spaces of eastern Oregon spread like wildfire and every available peace officer in the district was thrown into the manhunt.

When captured, Hickman had two youthful passengers in the car. It was learned that he had picked them up at the Dalles. They were being detained until their identity is established.

BILLS ON PERSON

In his possession was $1,400 in the $20 bills which Perry M. Parker had paid for the half-corpse of his child last Saturday night.

After his capture at a lonely turn of the road, Hickman was immediately taken to the Umatilla County jail, where a heavy guard was thrown about him to protect him from the quickly-gathering clouds of mob anger.

Special details of officers were sworn in to guard against a lynching, although a crowd of some seven or eight hundred persons, milling about the jail, showed no overt tendencies toward violence.

As soon as Hickman was placed in custody, officers began to grill him searchingly.

DENIES MURDER

It was under a fusilade of questions shot at him, that Hickman denied the savage murder of Marion Parker and attributed it to a man by the name of Andrew Cramer. It was pointed out by authorities that the name may be altogether fictitious, framed by Hickman to shield him from consequences.

Signs of fatigue and road-illness were apparent on Hickman's features and attire. When questioned as to why he did not attempt to fight back when he was stopped on the road by the two officers, he said that he was too tired to release his clutch of the steering wheel and use the revolver which he carried between his knees.

FIND CRAMER, CRY!

Police immediately opened communication with Los Angeles officials in order to ascertain whether a man by the name of Andrew Cramer existed, and if so who he is.

Hickman stubbornly insisted that he had no part in the killing, but that poison administered by a "fiend" named by the youth as Cramer—was responsible for the school-girl's death.

A later report from the Los Angeles police department informed authorities here that a young man by the name of Andrew Cramer accompanied Hickman to Los Angeles from Kansas City some months ago.

Efforts on the part of Los Angeles officials to apprehend young Cramer were instantly launched upon receipt of queries from Pendleton authorities, it was learned here. Three automobiles, bearing detachments of city detectives left the central police station in the southern city for the Believue apartments, where, according to police, Hickman slew the Parker girl.

Hickman denied to Pendleton officials that he had ever occupied an apartment in the Believue apartments.

BILL FOUND IN L. A.

Another one of the $20 gold certificates notes, paid by Perry M. Parker as ransom money, appeared in Los Angeles late this afternoon, when Mrs. Adeline Burns came to police headquarters and turned over to officials a bill bearing one of the tell-tale numbers of the series.

The woman informed police that her son had cashed his paycheck today and received the bill. Where the youth had cashed the pay check, Mrs. Burns told officers, she did not know. The number on the bill was K-68016975.

EXTRADITION NEXT STEP

When word was flashed to California that the hunted "fiend" was captured in Oregon, an official move to extradite him was instantly launched.

Two Los Angeles detective-sergeants left for the north by airplane, bent on the mission of returning the accused slayer, while Governor C. C. Young in Sacramento announced that he would stand by at his executive office until the arrival of the detectives would then immediately sign the extradition papers.

"No effort will be spared," the governor declared, "to bring Hickman back to Los Angeles for trial just as soon as possible."

INDICTMENT EXPECTED

At 7 o'clock tonight in Los Angeles the county grand jury will convene and indict William Edward Hickman for the kidnaping and murder of Marion Parker, the district attorney in the southern city announced late this afternoon.

Wild scenes of such dramatic intensity that they might have accompanied a joyous machanale, broke out in the central police station at Los Angeles, when Chief of Detectives Herman Cline, walked away from the telephone, where he had been conversing with the cief of police at Pendleton and announced to a group of haggard detectives and worn-down newspaper men: "Well, boys, they've got him."

Will Mary Any Man For $10,000

THE HEART AND HAND of Miss Mary K. Graser (left) of Doylestown, Pa., have been placed on the marital auction block and will go to the highest bidder, she declared in making an offer to marry any eligible man who has at least $10,000. She needs the money, she said, to provide a musical education for her eldest sister, an operation for her mother, and a new home.

Y. M. I. Names Heads For Year

Officers for the ensuing year were elected last night by Burke council Young Men's Institute. The quarterly communion will be held in St. John's church, El Cerrito, January 15, and district initiation will be held in Martinez, January 16.

Officers elected last night were chaplin, Father P. M. Griffin; assistant chaplain, Father W. H. Hennessey; president, W. E. Carey; first vice-president, Jerry Riordan, Jr., second vice-president, John Lucas; treasurer M. Mattern; recording secretary, T. M. Doud; financial secretary; M. Corr; executive committee, M. Bradley; inner sentinel J. Thompson; outside sentinel M. Nugent and C. Corr, marshal.

Five new members were received into the organization last night and plans discussed for the annual St. Patrick's night dance, March 17.

C. E. Society Has Yule Time Party

A delightful Christmas "kid" party was given by the Senior Intermediate Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church last night in the parlors of the church. Those attending came in children's costumes. There was a gayly decorated Christmas tree from which Santa distributed candy. Many interesting games were played and a social time was enjoyed by those present.

Those in charge of the evening were: Florence Moran, Eleanor Poulsen, Merle Sikle and John Cusack.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD.

YOUTH TELLS SEQUENCE OF KIDNAP PLOT

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and let her out, so I drove up a hundred feet or so."

On being asked who cut the girl up in the manner her body was found Hieykman said:

BLAMES CRAMER

"This fellow was named Andrew Cramer."

"I ran away from home and I was in California", Hickman told officers, in relating his tale. "I had been working in the First National Bank and forged some checks and got paroled and went back to Kansas City with mother and I wanted to go back again so I then got this coupe in Kansas City which belonged to Dr. Mantz, I believe.

RENTED APARTMENT

"At first I did not come direct out here. I went to Chicago before I came here and I rented that apartment in Los Angeles at the Believue Arms. I think it was on November 23rd., or just before Thanksgiving. Day I went down to San Diego and when I came back the next day I picked this man and a lady up. He said his name was Andrew Cramer, and the lady's name was June Dunning. I'm pretty sure that was it.

ADMITS HOLDUPS

"We just held up drug stores and places like that. That is the reason I had all these guns. That .38 (the revolver found between his knees when arrested) belongs to Andrew. He left it with me so it didn't make any difference and we worked several places. He wanted me to get some chloroform for him and others. I didn't ask him what for so in one of our holdups I would get out and he would drive the car. He would sit in the car and I would get the money and whatever we wanted and go out and then he would drive away. I really had not intended being a crook and you will find out soon enough you will get caught, but because I wanted to go back to Kansas City and go to work and have enough money to go to college, Park College, near Kansas City, I did it.

WANTED MONEY FOR SCHOOL

"I thought if I could get enough money to go to the school and by working some during the day, an hour or two every day, in that way I could pay the tuition I thought if I could save a thousand dollars I could pay the tuition. I thought if I could save a thousand dollars I could start next September and no matter how I got it I would go straight from then on.

WESLEY M. E. XMAS PARTY IS HUGE SUCCESS

Five hundred persons attended the Christmas party and pageant presented by the young people of the Wesley Methodist church last night. The program began at 7:30 o'clock and was followed by the distribution of home-made candy to the children by Santa Claus.

A great quantity of provisions and toys were received for distribution to the needy families of Richmond and the Fred Finch home in Oakland.

The program was as follows:

Song "Joy to the World" .... The Congregation
Prayer ....Rev. C. G. Lindemann
Exercise—"The First Christmas Morn" Miss Reba Saunder's Class
Panoomino—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" ....Miss F. Christopher's Class
Tableau—"There's a Song in the Air" Mrs. A. Bloomquists Class
"Searching for Santa ....Primary Dept
Song .....Primary Dept.
Candle Drill ....Mrs. A. Agetsinger's Class
"The Christmas Crown" ....Mrs. W. H. Neeley's Class
"The Legend of Cathay" .... Miss Ruth Eicher
White Gift Service ..... Miss Nina Moody's and Miss Freethy's Classes.
Song and Presentation of Gifts .....The Beginners Dept.
Presentation of Gifts by Classes.
"Santa Claus Well" ..... Mrs. J. Ellis' and Mr. W. H. Nelly's Classes.
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SPORTS

BEAR CAGERS 1928 SCHEDULE IS COMPLETED

BERKELEY, Dec. 22.—The 1928 basketball schedule of the University of California was completed today when Fresno State College was signed for the only remaining open date. The game will be played at Berkeley on January 30.

Fresno State is coached by Earl Wight, director of physical education there. Wight was for several years basketball coach at California, and in 1924 the Bears, under his direction, won the Pacific Coast conference championship, a title which they have continued to hold for a total of four successive seasons. Nibs Price, football coach, has coached basketball at California since Wight left.

The Bear basketers began practice yesterday for the first contest of the year, that against Waseda University of Japan on December 29. Hap Houvinen, former Bear star and assistant coach, is in charge of the team until Nibs Price is finished with football.

The Japanese team is the collegiate champion of Japan and is expected to flash a brand of basketball that will make them a worthy opponent of the Coast champions. They will arrive in San Francisco on December 26 and play U. S. C., Stanford and other Pacific Coast Conference teams after meeting California.

The Civic Auditorium in Oakland has been secured for the game which is attracting more than usual interest due to the international aspect of the competition.

Houvinen is now endeavoring to find a suitable running mate for Ralph Dougery, the forward remaining from last season's combination. Dougery is a fine floor man, but last season he teamed with Captain Fran Watson, now graduated, who did most of the bucket shooting.

Jim Dougery, captain and running guard, and Vern Corbin, center, are the two other regulars remaining. Besides these there are a number of substitutes from last season who play good ball. Vern Corbin will play against Waseda, but the two Dougerys are still occupied with football and will not join the squad until after December 31.

Basil Peterson, giant center who was injured most of last season, may be used at center in place of Corbin. This would leave Corbin free to team at forward with Dougery.

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TOMMY LOUGHRAN ON PUNCH-DRUNKENNESS

Recently in this column, Billy Gibson, manager of Gene Tunney, stated his belief that fighters who become punch-drunk can blame it on a serious organic disease, rather than the punches they receive in the ring.

"Unless a fighter dissipates with women," said Gibson, at the time, "he need never fear that he will lose his mental faculties. Punching can't unbalance a fighter mentally, and any statement to that effect is absolutely wrong."

Gibson's remarks interested me and proved of interest to fight fans, fight managers and fighters alike.

Benny Leonard disputed Gibson's assertion. Benny said that punching was the direct cause of a mental collapse, and that dissipation was the indirect cause. "Dissipation slows a fighter and causes him to get hit more easily than otherwise," sad Leonard, "but PUNCHING is the direct cause."

Now comes Tommy Loughran, Philadelphia holder of the light-heavyweight championship.

Loughran smart, intelligent and nobody's sap when it comes to analyzing the mechanics of fighting, sides with Billy Gibson:—

"I have often discussed that 'punch angle with doctors. They agree that it is a serious organic disease which breaks down the mind of a fighter, rather than the punching he takes. The disease cripples, the brain and eventually destroys it.

"Gibson is right in what he says. If you will go to any brain specialist, he'll tell you the same thing."

SAYS SLATTERY WILL BE SLOWER

Loughran does believe that the effects of a ring punching are manifested PHYSICALLY, not mentally.

"A severe beating will radically slow down a fighter particularly if he is getting on in years," said the champion.

"A young fighter with strong powers of recuperation, may not show the effects of a pounding in his next few fights, but nevertheless a real punching will have its effect.

"After my fight with Mike McTigue in the Garden, I told Joe Smith, my manager, that McTigue had been badly hurt physically and that he would show it in his next fight. I didn't knock McTigue down once, but I punched him around the body and head. It was a cinch that the punishment would slow him down.

"Well McTigue, in his very next fight, was knocked out in ONE round by Mickey Walker. I don't want to take anything away from Mickey's fine fight, but by the time Mickey clipped McTigue, Mike had been prepped for the ending.

"I am interested to see what Jimmy Slattery does in his next few fights.

"Slattery took a real body and head pasting in his fight with me. He didn't go down, but for fifteen rounds he was soaking up hard punches.

"I think you will see the result when he fights again, if he is in there with a puncher. He may get past a clever fellow, but if any one leads to him and follows up his punches, Slattery will find that our fight wasn't entirely a boxing exhibition."

WHAT DELANEY DID TO BERLENBACH

Loughran isn't talking through his bonnet when he tells of the effects of a hard punching received in one fight.

The most striking example of this was furnished when Jack Delaney fought Paul Berlenbach at Ebbets Field. Delaney won the title that night. To those at the ringside Delaney won all by himself, but the fans in the rear of the field thought that Berly was winning.

What the fans in the rear of the park couldn't see and failed to gauge, were the terrific right hand blows that Delaney kept driving to Berly's heart.

Delaney was laying them right in on the line that night and don't let any one kid you into believing that Delaney when he is set for a punch, can't commit murder with a right hand.

Delaney would deliberately tempt Berlenbach into a righthand lead and then send his own right crashing over Paul's heart.

It was not pretty to see that savage beating. For five rounds, six rounds, Berlenbach didn't feel the effects of that tattoo over the heart.

Then he began to sag. He seemed to break into pieces and in the final round only his instinct kept him upright.

Pete Reilly, Delaney's manager made it his business to follow Berlenbach to his next fight Berly was to fight McTigue.

Reilly bet every cent he had on McTigue.

"Delaney ended Berlenbach for keeps," Reilly told his intimates. "McTigue will knock him out."

And McTigue did knock him out.

HEENEY AND PAULINO HAVE BEEN HURT

Out in Chicago recently, Delaney wrote a permanent Finis to the career of the man he ruined physically at Ebbets Field. He knocked out Berly in six rounds.

He didn't actually knock out Berly, for Delaney perhaps thinking of his old rival in other days, begged the referee to stop the fight. Delaney started and finished the work of demolishing the rugged Yorkville fighter.

The after-effects of the two fights between Tom Heeney and Paulino Uzcudun have already been demonstrated.

Heeney, one of the principals in these slugging matches, went out to Detroit and just managed to overhaul Johnny Risko. Heeney seemed to have lost a bit of his stuff.

AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME

Crockett Wins From Lamoines

The Crockett Community Center basketball team last night won a practice game with the LaMoine team of Richmond by the close score of 28 to 31 and had the game lasted a little longer, in all probability the local team would have come out on top.

At the end of the first half, the score stood 25 to 3 in favor of the Crockett quintet. Then the LaMoine team snapped out of it, holding their opponents to 13 points in the second half and annexing 28 points for themselves.

Virgil O'Brien was the star in the local hoopsters with Johnny Kirkhouse piling up points for the Crocket team.

The lineups were:

LA MOINES—Daly, Morrison, O'Brien and Schrender, forwards; Fanring, center and McAllister, and Moore, guards.

CROCKETT—Miller and Murphy, forwards; J. Kirkhouse, center and C. Kirkhouse and Sanguinetti, guards.

UNITY CENTER HOLDS UNIQUE YULE PARTY

Santa Claus distributed gifts to the children of Unity Center last night at a Christmas party held in the Richmond clubhouse.

The program began with congregational singing led by Mrs. Robbins, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Curnow and violin obligato by William Curnow. There were piano solos by Lois Topaz, songs by the class of Mrs Topaz, guitar solos by Mrs. Carson Wright and piano duets by Louis and Albert Topaz.

These were followed by banjo selections by John Freese, a piano selection by Loraine Storey and finger exercises by Mrs. N. B. Freese's class. Grover Tiller played several violin numbers accompanied by Julius Straus. There were class exercises by Miss Myrtle Thomas' class, piano solos by Audrey Munn, and a song by Mrs. Topaz's class.

Mrs. Anna P. Joselyn, leader told a Christmas story with the children seated on the floor near the Christmas tree. The committee in charge of the affair was Mrs. H. Marland, Mrs. Harry Lincoln and Mrs. Lolita Downey.

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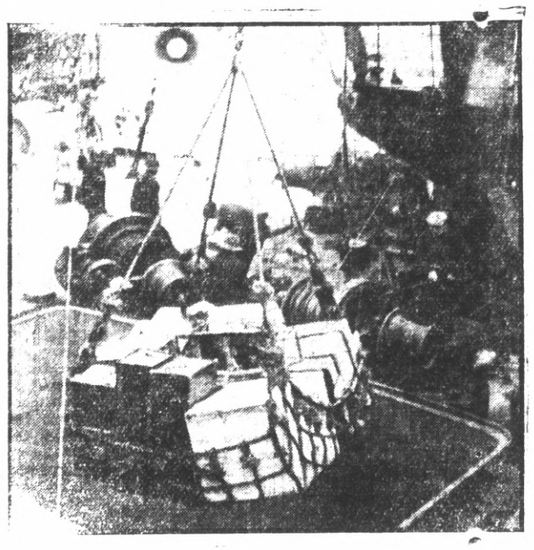

A GIGANTIC CONSPIRACY, which during the past few months has pushed $1,000,000 of European liquors through the custom lines at the New York piers, was detailed in the House in Washington by Congressman F. A. La Guardia. He has filed an official complaint with the secretary of the treasury. He says it was stowed in trunks, suitcases and other luggage. Photo shows baggage being unloaded from hold of steamer.

Union Auxiliary Holds Jolly Xmas Party

A jolly Christmas tree celebration was held last night in Brotherhood hall by the Ladies Auxiliary to the Carpenters Union. There were over 150 people in attendance and plenty of good "eats." Santa Claus was there and distributed gifts to all.

The opening number was the song "America" which was followed by a talk by Mr. Snyder. The next number "Holy Night" was followed by a reading given by Richie Kenville. The Static Band entered and played several numbers. Heril Toby pleased with a solo which was followed by a reading by Mrs. McGinty. A dance was then given by Mrs. Shuggars, Mrs. Kelly accompanying at the piano playing "Wings of the Night." Marine Hauge entertained with a reading. Mr. Meny gave a selection "La Paloma." This was followed by a reading given by Eunice Hauge. J. Shuggars and Mrs. Shuggars participated in a dance "Moth Ballet." This pleasing number was followed by the telling of jokes by Mr. Wood. Olese and Eunice Hauge then pleased with a song.

The singing of the song "Jingle Bells" by everyone followed this. Dorothy Eldridge welcomed Santa Claus who presented the children with gifts after which he distributed gifts among the ladies. There was a grab bag for the men.

The president of the Auxiliary was presented with a beautiful cake with her name written upon it and a pin with the emblem of the Auxiliary inscribed upon it.

After the program dancing and banquet was enjoyed by those present.

First Baptist Will Present Pageant

"The Uncrowned King" an elaborate pageant will be presented Sunday evening by the members of the First Baptist church, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. About fifty persons will participate in the spectacular tableau. Many pleasing musical numbers will be given during the presentation. Yuletide decorations will be used to aid in the effectiveness of the production.

Arrivals at the Hotel Carquinez last night were: P. S. Jones, J. O. Celema, of San Francisco; Mr and Mrs. K. Layton, of Fresno; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Henry of Oakland; O. W. Bottorff and H. S. Pommier of San Bernardino.

Booze Raid Nets Still, Two Men

Charged with the possession of a still, Pedro Lemos and Antino Somano of Nineteenth street and Potrero avenue are being held in the city jail in lieu of $1,000 bail. Local police headed by Chief Dan Cox and Officer Smith W. Ligon located the still, Wednesday night, but were unable to locate the operators until yesterday.

MRS. KRUMDICK ON RADIO PROGRAM

"Keeping Christmas" by Van Dyke, will be read by Mrs. A. W. Krumdick, 2515 Silva avenue, over KGO on the luncheon program between the hours of 11:30 and 1:00 o'clock today. Mrs. Krumdick gave this number over the radio last year and has received many requests to read it again.

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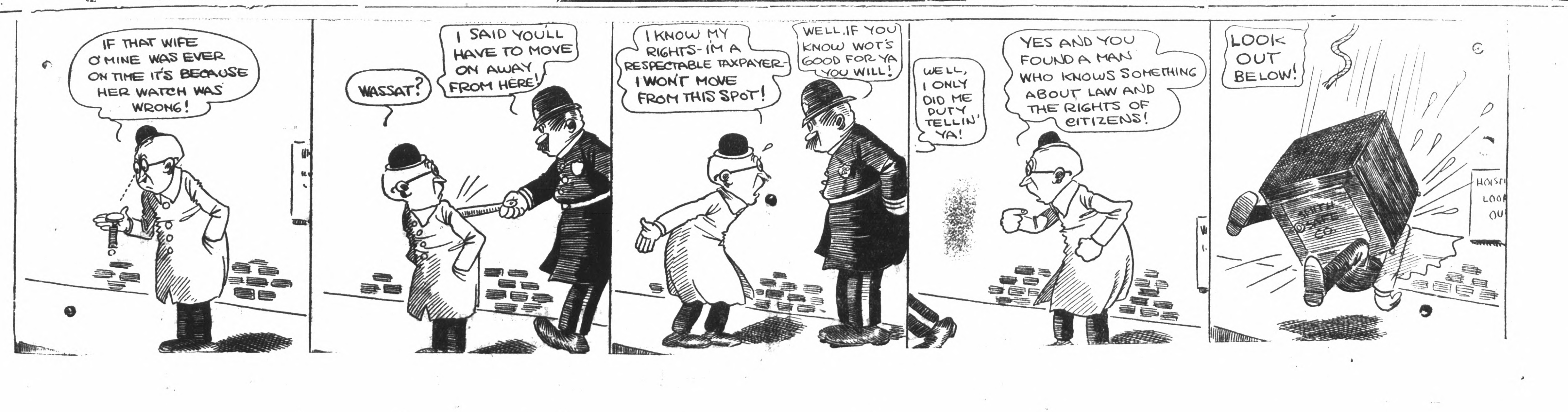

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May the Gladsome Yuletide Bring You Joy and Happiness

KEY REHEARING GRANTED, RATE PROBE PLANNED

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plan" until the hearing is completed.

KEY SOUGHT RAISE

In the original application, the Key System sought a raise in the casual street car fare from seven to ten cents and a raise in Key Route fare of from 21 to 25 cents.

In addition the following was asked for:

1.—A weekly pass permitting unlimited riding by any member of a family at $1.00 each week. The territory covered was that now traversed by the seven-cent fare.

2.—A weekly pass permitting unlimited riding over the entire traction system, from Richmond to Hayward, at $1.50 per week.

3.—A monthly pass over the Key Route between Oakland and San Francisco at $10. This pass, like the others, was to be transferable.

4.—A round trip ticket good on traction and Key trains, permitting residents in remote territories to have reduction on the double fares now operating at a price to be set later.

Dredger At Work On Outer Harbor

Work has started on the dredging of the Richmond outer channel whereby the channel and turning basin will be deepened to 30 feet to deep water of the bay. It is estimated that 60 days will be required to complete the work.

At a monthly rental of $25,000, the city has contracted for the government dredger A. McKenzie which is now at work. The channel and basin in front of the new Petroleum Securities oil dock will be dredged under this contract.

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NEW OFFECERS OF MCKINLEY LODGE SEATED

McKinley lodge, No. 347, Free and Accepted Masons last night installed its recently elected officers at ceremonies held in Masonic temple.

Those installed were:

Archibald Cedris Moorehead, worshipful master; Harry Washington Seaton, senior warden; Alfred Chichester Curtis, junior warden; Arbie Dimmitte Jones, P. M., treasurer; Walter Theodore Helms, P. M., secretary; Arthur Clarence Rogers, chaplain; Thomas Gard Gray, senior deacon; Kenneth Robert Leam, junior deacon; Bertie Ernest Scoble P. M., marshal; Henry William Winkler, senior steward; Alexander Dawson, junior steward; Alber Victor Batten, Jr, organist and Isaac McGuffin, tiler.

B. E. Scoble was installing officer with A. D. Jones, master of ceremonies. The program was:

1. March S. Mills.
Installation of Master—Moorehead
2. Selection—W. F. Schmidt.
Installation of Senior Warden—H W. Seaton.
3. Selection—Ladies Chorus.
Installation of Junior Warden—A C. Curtis.
4. Selection—B. Mills.
Installation of Treasurer—A. D. Jones.
Installation of Secretary—Helms
Installation of Chaplain—A. C. Rogers.
5. Selection—Ladies Chorus.
Installation of Deacons—T. G. Gray, K. Leam.
Installation of Marshal—E. Scoble
6. Selection—F. Bibbons.
Installation of Stewards—Winkler Dawson.
Installation of Organist—Batten.
Installation of Tiler—McGuffin.
7. Closing selection—W. F. Schmidt.

$347,490 Is Tax Receipts Total

Taxes for the fiscal year 1927-1928, amounting to more than $347,490 have been collected to date, according to City Tax Collector J. O. Ford.

Due to the slight increase in taxes and the annexation of a portion of the Richmond Annex, Ford stated, the amount collected exceeds the total for the same period of last year.

December 5, was the date taxes became delinquent and payments since then have been slow in coming in. The second installment of taxes is due January 1, and delinquent the third Monday in April.

GO TO STOCKTON

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cole of Richmond will spend Christmas in Stockton visiting relatives.

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To Whom It May Concern

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Dorothy Waters on or after December 15, 1927, she having left my bed and board.

CLIVE WATERS
12-16-6t

Community M. E. To Give Xmas Program Tonight

A fine program has been prepared for the Christmas party to be given tonight at the Community Methodist church beginning at 8 o'clock. It is as follows:

Song by Sunday school, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

Responsive Reading.

Prayer by the pastor, Rev. George Forman.

Song, "Away in the Manger" by the Primary department.

Reading by Mary Virginia Scragg.

Duet, by Eleanor Spring and Evelyn Marshall.

Recitation, "The Longest Day" by Ruth Farrow.

Song, "Santa Claus will come tonight if you're good" by 6 children.

Violin solo, by Frances Wood.

Song, "Silent Night" by the Primary department.

Xmas Reading, by Mrs. Holbrook.

Violin solo, by Mrs. Smallwood accompanied by Mrs. Sollars.

Song by the Sunday school, "There's a Song in the Air."

Pageant—Christmas at Home.

White gifts to be given by the various classes.

A treat by Santa Claus.

STEGE CHURCH WILL PRESENT XMAS PROGRAM

A Christmas program will be presented this evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock by the memoers of the Stege Presbyterian Sunday school. Friends of the church and their children are especially invited to attend. An offering will be taken to assist with the Seamen's relief fund, also any offering of groceries or fruit will be given to the needy of the church.

The program for the evening will be as fodlows: Song by school; scripture reading by Anna Thompson; prayer, Mrs. Creely; address of welcome, Earl Holland; song, "Christ Was Once a Little Baby" primary class; recitation, My Christmas Dream," Heizo Oshima, recitation, "The First Attempt," by Donald Volz; recitation, "Don't You Mind," Muriel Korb.

An exercise, "The Decorator," will be put on by the junior girls, a recitation, "It Is Hard," by Leroy Holland; "Searching for Santa," by the primary class; recitation, "Sing a Song of Christmas," Jack Willis; exercise, "A Christmas Birthday Party," 10 girls; "Two Little Soldiers," by Bruno Isaac and Elwood Dawe; "The Story Always New," by Jackie Weir; clariet solo, "Silent Night," Forest Thompson; song, "Sleep, Baby Sleep," Lucile Dodge; recitation, "What the Stars Saw," Margaret Skiles; song, "We Are Little Workers," primary boys; recitation, "Christmas Shopping," Carol Cook; recitation, "Christmas in California," Bobbie Korb, and exercise "What Does Christmas Mean to You," by the juniors.

A recitation, "Helping Santa," Joyce Thomas, followed, and "A Present for Santa Claus," Mary White; exercise, "Christmas Night" junior girls; recitation, "God's Little Garden," Marian Anderson; exercise, "Telling the Christmas Story," intermediate girls.

A short talk by Rev. H. K. Sanborne will end the program.

Wine Possession Cause of Fine

John Tartaglino of 595 Forty-sixth street, Oakland, was yesterday fined by Police Judge C. A. Odell on a charge of possession of liquor. He was arrested by Officer S. W. Ligon at the intersection of Thirtieth street and Esmond avenue and is said to have had 25 gallons of wine in his automobile.

Notice To Public

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted in my name after this date.

Richmond, Cal., Dec. 20, 1927.
A. C. BLOUNT.
12-21-st

Carrier Boys Wanted at Record Herald

First Methodist Church Has Novel Celebration For Xmas

An interesting Christmas program was presented last night by the Sunday school of the First Methodist church. A large attendance was reported. After the program Santa Claus distributed candy and nuts to the children from a brightly decorated Christmas tree.

he program began with the singing of two songs "Hail Day of Days," and "All Through the Darkness," by the Sunday school class. The invocation was delivered by Rev. F. H. Prince. This was followed by a song, "Great Joy," sung by the choir. J. George, superintendent of the Sunday school, gave a scripture reading. An exercise, "The Stocking Brigade," was presented by the primary department, followed by a vocal solo, "Rest Ye" by by Wave Redman.

An exercise, "The Magic Glass" was put on by the junior boys; a song, "Holly for Christmas," by the primary class; a duet "Holy Child from Heaven's Portal," by Mrs. E. L. Scofield and Mrs. W. F. Schmidt; an exercise, "A Shout of Gladness," by Betty May Thomas; and a song, "Rockabye" by the primary class girls, were well received Adele Thomas gave a recitation "Why We Love the Story"; the primary class presented an exercise, "The Glad Hand Class"; a song and drill was put on by the intermediate girls; and then Rev. Prince gave Christmas greetings to the large crowd present. The program then closed with a song, "Long, Long Ago" sung by the Sunday school, and Santa Claus arrived.

Mrs. J. O. Westman was chairman of the committee for the evening, and was assisted by Mrs. F. H. Prince, Mrs. J. O. Redman, Mrs. M. R. Burdick and Mrs. E. L. Scofield.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD

Former Richmond Matron Will Be Laid At Rest

Services will be held in Healdsburg today for Mrs. W. I. Beeson, former resident of Richmond and the sister of the late Luther Burbank, after which the remains will be interred in the Burbank family plot in Sebastopol.

Mrs. Beeson was well known in Richmond where her husband was formerly in the hardware business. Since leaving here, the couple have made their home on their ranch near Healdsburg.

"Midnight" Takes Part In Program For Children

"Fireman Bill" Willett and his educated dog, "Midnight," and W. C. Kitley also a member of the Richmond fire department were featured on the Christmas program staged for children by an Oakland newspaper in the municipal auditorium yesterday morning. "Midnight" went through her tricks to the delight of the 18,000 children present. Leading theatrical acts of the Bay Region comprised the entertainment.

Guide Proves Aid For Xmas Shopping; Only One Day More!

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ticle of dress. You can wear them all.

"But if you're a child don't buy anything for yourself under the pretense of giving it to papa or mama. Papa will wear out the train, and mama will draft the doll clothes into use for the youngest baby. If you're a child you're out of luck."

Richmond merchants, who are deluged with Christmas shopping, declared yesterday that no one using the above guide has visited their stores, or if such a person did exist he had carefully concealed his real object. It is said in authentic sources, on information not supplied by the White House spokesman, however, that tomorrow is the last day for shopping.

Only 2 More Shopping Days Until Christmas

Yet You Can Still Buy a Dandy Present Here For Every Person on Your Christmas List

It will be a much wanted present—something that your relative or friend will be truly glad to have. They will mean it when they say. "Oh, thank you, so very much. I really did want this." The article itself, its quality, beauty, style, please immensely. That's true of every one of all the thousands of gift things here.

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Fountain Pens
Silver Pencils
Silver Novelties
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Bar Pins and Beauty Pins

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Belt Buckles and Belts
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Christmas Special

MEN'S STRAP WATCHES

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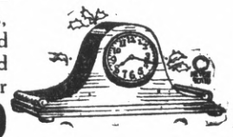

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